**Expedited Procedure** Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 Examining Group 2800 Application No. 09/787,093 Paper Dated: July 6, 2004

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**Applicant** 

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DEVICE FOR READING A BARCODE

Group Art Unit

2876

Examiner

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants request a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on January 5, 2004 and the period set for response was three months, bringing the response to be due on April 5, 2004. Therefore, a three-month extension of time will bring the response due on July 6, 2004 since July 5, 2004 was a federal holiday.

> I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on July 6, 2004.

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A check in the amount of \$950.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A Notice of Appeal in response to the outstanding Action is filed concurrently herewith.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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